My favorite all time movie has got to be Star Wars, the 1980's science fiction film.

I think this for a couple of reasons.

First of all, it was very exciting.

(2-3 sentences)

The second reason why it is my favorite movie is that when it came out, it was very original.

(2-3 sentences)

Question 2

I prefer to study in a group.

I think this for a couple of reasons.

First of all, when you study in a group, you get to share information.

(2-3 sentences)

The second reason is that it is more fun.

(2-3 sentences)

Notes

Text

- What is the proposal?
- Reason 1
- Reason 2

Conversation

- Man/woman agrees/disagrees
- Support/Rebuttal 1
- Support/Rebuttal 2

Speaking

The <u>speaker agrees/disagrees</u> with the announcement and think that the <u>organization</u> is <u>right/wrong</u> to <u>proposal</u>.

She thinks the <u>proposal</u> is necessary/unnecessary because <u>support/rebuttal 1</u>.

She agrees/disagreed that the <u>proposal</u> because <u>support/rebuttal 2</u>.

The <u>passage</u> says that <u>proposal</u> because <u>reason 1</u> and <u>reason 2</u>.

(The man's/woman's opinion is that he/she agrees/disagrees with the announcement and he/she thinks that it is a great idea.)

(He/She provides 2 reasons why he/she agrees/disagrees with the announcement)

First, 1st reason.

Second, 2nd reason.

That's why the man/woman agrees/disagree with the <u>passage</u> about the <u>proposal</u>.

Notes

Text

- Topic and definition
- Point 1
- Point 2

Lecture

- Example 1
- How example 1 illustrates point 1
- How example 1 illustrates point 2
- Example 2
- How example 2 illustrates point 1
- How example 2 illustrates point 2

Speaking

The passage is about <u>topic</u> which is defined as <u>definition</u>.

(Briefly bring in point 1 and 2.)

The professor gives 1 or 2 examples of <u>topic.</u>

He/she says that ...

As you can see ...

This is why <u>example</u> is an example of <u>topic</u> (while example 2 is not).

Topic-to-examples transition/summary of examples

The lecture illustrates mnemonic devices by giving an example of a mnemonic device that the professor used in college.

The speaker gives the example of a time when he was taking a course in college about astronomy and planets.

First of all, ...

And second, ...

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 What is the problem? Solution 1 Advantage Disadvantage Solution 2 Advantage Disadvantage 				
Speaking				
The problem that the student has is that <u>problem</u> .				
To my mind, the second solution, 2^{nd} solution is the best because				
First, why 1st solution is bad.				
Second, why 2 nd solution is good.				
This is why I think the 2 nd solution is the best.				
The man/woman's problem is that				
(This is a problem for the man/woman because)				
The students discuss two solutions to this problem				
First,				
Second,				
In my opinion, I think he should solution 2.				
I think this for two reasons.				

Notes

- Topic and definition
- Point 1
- Point 2
- Example 1
- How example 1 illustrates point 1
- How example 1 illustrates point 2
- Example 2
- How example 2 illustrates point 1
- How example 2 illustrates point 2

Speaking

The professor discusses about <u>topic</u> which he/she defines as <u>definition</u>.

(Briefly bring in point 1 and 2.)

He/she describes two examples.

First ... (subtopic + definition)

(Discuss example)

Second ... (subtopic + definition)

(Discuss example)

That's how the professor describes ...

Background

Topic-to-example transition

Concluding Statement

In the lecture, the professor talks about <u>topic</u>.

This is defined as <u>definition</u>.

The professor gives some examples of this.

First of all, ...
For example, ...

Secondly,, for example.

And lastly, ...

This means that ..., for example, ...